

Becker Ousted; 17 New Indictments In Oakland Graft Probe Seen

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FOURTH PORT ON PACIFIC

Weather

Cloudy today and
probably showers
with tomorrow
cloudy, continued
cool with moder-
ate west winds.



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2 DEAD IN ATTEMPTED PRISON BREAK

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Just when we thought we had the honors all sewed up for big game hunting along comes a high school baseball player with a sure eye and steady arm. Well anyway, whenever those boys run out of game to throw at we know where they can find a lot more.

There are still quite a few people in this world, some of them living in Richmond, who think that the proper way to dispose of garbage is to dump it along the streets. An excellent example of how a city should not be kept is presented along portions of McBryde avenue.

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BETTER LIGHTS FOR AVENUE

According to reports from San Quentin prison, Asa Keyes is just as sure that he is innocent of the crime which put him behind the walls, as are the thousands that the prosecutor sent there when he was in office in the south. And authorities are so certain that Keyes may have been just a little vindictive or playing politics when he prosecuted some of the convicts, that they are afraid to let him mix with them.

According to reports from Europe, the naval disarmament conference will probably be concluded in a short time. As we predicted some time ago, it will end with just about as much accomplished as when it started.

All those who hunt don't slay a deer. According to figures just released from Sacramento, only one out of every five hunters who obtained hunting licenses ate venison.

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Continued tariff debate, upholding sugar, cement and long staple cotton duties.

Lobby committee continued questioning of Claudius Huston of Republican National committee.

Authorities on cancer appeared before Commerce sub committee to urge government aid in cancer research work.

Senator Tydings, democrat, of Maryland introduced resolution for investigation of naval aviation and reasons behind resignation of Lieut. Alford Williams.

Judiciary committee continued prohibition hearings.

Continued debate on motor bus regulation bill.

Held up action on deficiency bill carrying an extra appropriation of \$100,000,000 for federal farm board which the Senate added to the measure.

**Mansion Raided
For Bootleg**

OAKLAND, Mar. 13—(UPI)—Numerous of 20 men and women who were fashionably dressed were taken away by agents of the district attorney's office when they raided a Sims drive men's ménage today and found an old time bar. Tom C. according to police reports, No one was injured.

G. D. MILLER
WILL FILL
POST

Will Marry
N. Y. Broker



CAMILLA PONSELLE, former Metropolitan Opera star, who recently announced her engagement to Joseph L. Lyons, wealthy New York realty broker.

NAVY AIR PROBE ASKED BY SENATOR

WASHINGTON, March 13.—UP—

Why the United States has lagged in development of naval aviation and the reasons behind the sudden resignation of Lieut. Alford J. Williams, crack Navy speed pilot, would be the subject of a sweeping Congressional investigation under terms of a resolution introduced today by Senator Tydings.

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OAKLAND INFITS HITS ROW OVER GARBAGE

OAKLAND, Mar. 13.—With the removal from office of Sheriff Burton F. Becker today, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of willful misconduct in office, an important chapter in the investigation of the Oakland paving and vice scandal was closed.

Coroner Grant D. Miller was immediately appointed sheriff of Alameda county by Superior Judge Fred V. Wood, who issued the order ousting Becker from office.

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According to the health officer, the complaints as to the unsanitary method of handling and collecting of wet garbage by the bog company were first brought to his attention by the Hotel Coit, on Harrison street.

Fitts charged that only parts of a letter from the district attorney's office to Governor Young were used by the latter in announcing that Reilly must die. Both officials are candidates for the post of governor.

Fitts' attack on Governor Young was in the form of a letter.

He said that in announcing his decision in the Reilly case, Governor Young quoted a letter written by William McKay, a deputy in Fitts' office, but used only such parts as supported the governor's

OUR OWN DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE

THE WOMAN OF IT

By Marguerite Moers Marshall

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LITTLE OLD NEW YORK

Gray little weatherbeaten house
Perched upon a hill—

What thoughts do you think,
What things have you seen—

The hem of the city
Breaks raggedly around you,

Huge slabs of granite and honeycombed stone
Point their slim fingers
Up toward the sky.

Strange and unearthly creations
Man has harnessed for his work and his pleasure,
But your windows are curtained
With fragments of dreams—
You see not a thing.

The smoke curls lazily
From your red brick chimney;
In the garden the lilies and roses
Still remember when to bloom.

LOLITA ROMER.

Love and the Light of Common Day

PEGGY JOYCE, past authority on husbands, stipulates that the dearest one shall not let her see him until he is shaved, since "it is very tiring to have to look at a husband early in the morning." Another ultrafashionable young woman inveighs against the "old dream and bare feet" stage of domesticity. What any wife of several years' standing, who is in love with her husband (believe us, the phrase and the clause are not necessarily incompatible)—what she wonders is how such finicky, such shrinkingly disdainful folk can call themselves in love at all!

The trouble with the propaganda against so-called "sordid domesticity" is that it tends to make young persons believe that all the simple, natural domestic comforts, those that marrow—because of the closeness of its associations—takes the bloom of love," and that the most elaborate and expensive precautions must be adopted by young married lovers against "disillusioning" each other.

From such a point of view it is only a step in the evolution that marriage is the death of love—that to keep romance romantic, it must be kept unfertilized. We don't mean to be dogmatic, but at this stage of the argument we can only exclaim, "Bubblish!"

Plenty of happily married women will make the extraordinary admission that simple, natural love, that love fulfilled in the customary instrumental manner, loses its bloom and glamour and beauty. Real love is no bud which withers blight. It is a whole rose-tree which grows ever more vigorous in the sunshine and rich soil of happy married life. To say that it cannot endure the sight of a toothbrush or a shaving brush, even in action—is—as we have more than once insisted—to say a vain thing.

Does anybody ever pretend that a mother's love for her child "has the bloom rubbed off" because she sees the child with dirty hands and eyes washed them? Few wives would admit to having less for her husband, or for her, because they met sometimes gaze-on each other at informal moments? What normally healthy and affectionate person is revolted by them, or indeed thinks twice about them?

LOVE between man and woman is "all a wonder and a wild desire," but also and always it is "a creature not too bright or good for human nature's daily food." The picture of super-sensitive advice to the contrary simply cannot be taken seriously by the youngsters.

Of course one difficulty is that much of the most beautiful writing about love has been done by the unmarried—but the reason is not necessarily that when two marry poetry goes

What! No Dir?

SCIENTISTS GROW VEGETABLES WITHOUT EARTH. PREDICT NEW ERA IN AGRICULTURE.

ITEM

CUCUMBERS

PEAS

SPINACH

BEANS

HOPES

IN A COZY KITCHENETTE

WHAT VEGETABLES DO YOU WANT FOR DINNER, HENRY?

WRITING TO OUR CONGRESSMAN FOR SEED.

I'M GONNA PLANT THE FAIRY BEDROOM IN HOPS!

IN THE SHADE OF THE OLD APPLE TREE

TAKING CARE OF THE FAIRY BEDROOM IN HOPS!

ISN'T SHE A BEAUT?

I RAISED HER IN ON THE MANTLEPIECE!

TAKING CARE OF THE FAIRY BEDROOM IN HOPS!

By Haenigsen

Oh, Go to Bed

By Eliot Kays Stone

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"DAD, what's a rum run?"
"A man who runs rum or other intoxicating liquors into the country, by means of a ship or motor boat."

"Why does he run rum?"
"Because he can get a big price for it once he gets it into the United States."

"Why can he get a big price for it?"
"Don't be foolish. Because the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors is forbidden in the United States people are willing to pay a big price for them."

"Why are they willing to pay a big price for intoxicating liquors?"
"Because they want it bad."

"Why don't they want it good?"
"Oh, go to bed."

Handling Frozen Pipes

NOTWITHSTANDING the repeated warnings, householders will use lighted papers to thaw a frozen water pipe. Wrapping the pipes with oil-soaked rags and setting these on fire is another often employed method. Sometimes the firemen are summoned to handle the consequences.

The intense heat so suddenly applied is quite liable to break the pipe and there is a flood. In either case the results are disastrous. Never apply an open flame, not even a match, to thaw a pipe.

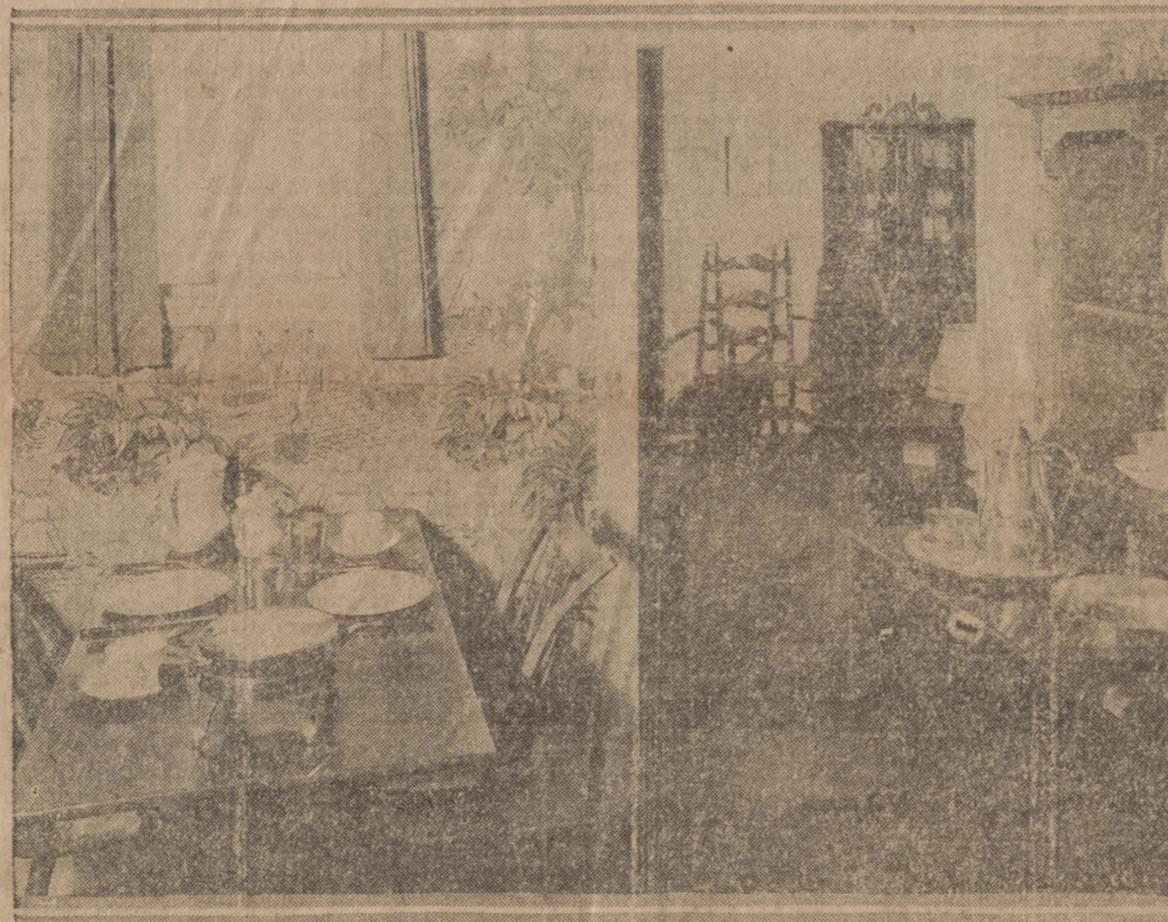
The right way to do is to wrap the frozen portion of the pipe with cotton cloth and pour hot water upon it, taking the precautions to have plenty of rags to hand to pipe to catch and absorb the waste water.

You might prevent water pipes from freezing if you mix equal parts of melted paraffin and glycerine and paint the exposed pipes with it.

Modernizing the Home

Breakfast Nook Need Not Be Garish in Order to Be Gay

By Alma Zaiss



INFORMALITY AND A PLEASING DIGNITY ARE COMBINED IN THIS LITTLE BREAKFAST ROOM FURNISHED IN NATURAL WOOD

Dear Miss Zaiss:

Most of the problems you solve sound so much more important than mine that I am almost ashamed to ask for your help. It's about a little breakfast nook. But I want it to be pretty and cheerful, with painted cupboards and chairs. They seem so kitcheny to me and I would rather not furnish that way as the kitchenette opens off the living room in this apartment.

There are no cupboards to divide the kitchen part from the dinette. What shall I do about that? The woman who lived here before had curtains and make-up cloth hanging at the sides, but I do not like that arrangement. The space is shaped about like this (diagram not shown).

My living room does not run to any particular style. I mean the furniture is just the usual things—three-piece sofa, two end tables and gateleg which I use placed in a refrigerator jar and set at the sides, but I do not like that arrangement. The space is shaped about like this (diagram not shown).

The dish cupboard may be used on the right wall of the little room, and a shallow serving table for the opposite wall would provide a convenient location for the percolator, the waffle iron or toaster, other accessories needed by the hostess.

Since there are no cupboards to partition the kitchen section of the room, Mrs. E should by all means use a pretty four-fold screen to mask the stove and the workshop end of the room. Nothing could be more unsuitable than pictures and curtains hanging about the furnace of cooking and baking in a few days' time. It would be a good idea to have the screen covered with washable wallpaper of a color found on the patterned walls, with top panels arranged to hold old prints, etchings or maps, shellacked to make them waterproof and dustproof.

There is a large cold storage in the room, the soles outlined, yet both are far from being garish or "kitcheny." If Mrs. E follows the general suggestions given we are sure that she will be able to plan a nook so inviting that breakfast will seem the most enjoyable of the three meals, and early morning tasks the lightest of the day's routine.

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM FOR PROBLEM NO. 2, MRS. C.'S COLONIAL DINING ROOM

SPRINTLE nicefies of color belonging to such shades as corn, canary, red-orange, aquamarine, Wedgwood blue, reseda green, seem never to have found their way into the kitchen, although they are equally as cheerful as their more boisterous cousins.

Some time soon we should like to outline a number of attractive color combinations for painted walls, woodwork and furniture—schemes that are gay and inspiring and modern without being restless or crude. (Will some one present another kitchenette problem?) In the mean time, we shall discuss an unpainted plan that will give Mrs. E two schemes for a charming little breakfast room with dark furniture and papered walls.

Mrs. E may have her woodwork

differs slightly from that given in Mrs. E's diagram, but she will see how easily the general plan could be adapted for her own apartment. Her floor covering may be a braided rag rug or Scotch-woven carpet in one of the colors found in the wallpaper—the one best suited to her living room scheme. Green curtains at the window may be of emerald, and overcurtains of plain linen or chintz, repeating one of the colorings of the wallpaper.

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PAINTED PALE BEIGE AND HER WALLS PAPERED IN ONE OF THE MANY DELIGHTFUL NEW PAPERS WHICH ARE SUITABLE FOR THE SAME COTTON.

BEIGE OR GRAY WALLS WITH FURNITURE IN CONTRAST—THE CHAIRS AND TABLES ARE OF A DIFFERENT COLOR.

THE ONE IN THE PICTURE SHOWS VIOLET OR ORANGE OR RED OR BLUE.

A MODERN WASHABLE PAPER HAVING A

IN CORDOVA there lived about the year 950 A. D. a wise Traditionist named Ibn Ad Al Barr, in whose writings there are to be found many clever fables. In the following, three of them are retold.

"It is related," begins the old Arab writer, "that when Adam was sent out of Paradise and down to earth by Almighty God, the Angel Gabriel went to him and said: 'O Adam! God here sends you three qualities so that you may select one of them for yourself and leave the two others.'

"What are they?" said Adam.

"Modesty, Piety and Intelligence," said Gabriel.

"I choose Intelligence," said Adam.

The Angel then told Modesty and Piety to return to Heaven, because Adam had made choice of Intelligence.

"They answered: 'We will not return.'

"How," said the Angel, "Do you mean to disobey me?"

"They replied: 'We do not, but our orders were never to quit Intelligence whenever she might be.'

"And since this time he who possesses Intelligence possesses also all the other Virtues."

The charming commonsense of this fable is also displayed in the second little tale chosen from this writer:

"The wolf accosted the dog and said to him: 'How unhappy is Man, your master! He makes you his friend and companion and his house is always full of meat and bones, and threatens nobles as well as beggars with death and destruction.' At last an old and stately man approached the Prince and begged him to consider the duties of a wise and honest man.

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"In a little while I shall return and bring you the mirror you demanded.

"It will clearly show you what the future has in store for you."

"He went away and after a short absence approached again, bringing with him a sumptuous wrapped in black velvet which the Prince promptly received out of his hands. The velvet was unfolded and with a cry of dismay the Prince looked into the empty sockets of a grinning skull."

TELLING THE WORLD

By Neal O'Hara

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YOUR INCOME TAX SIMPLIFIED

HOW the income tax reads to the bewildered citizen:
Name..... Address..... Occupation.....

1. Are you a citizen of the United States?.....

2. Is this a joint return?.....

Give the address of the joint.....

3. Were you married and living with your wife on the last day of the year?.....

... And was she still speaking to you after that New Year's Eve party?

4. What other persons are you supporting?..... Does this mean you're leading a double life?.....

INCOME. From Business or Profession.

1. Total receipts (Add Line 1 with unbalanced backfield). 2. Material and supplies (explain in footnote K, except Sundays and holidays).

3. Plus inventory at beginning of year (St. Mark, 13-28, xxxv-xiv). 4. Net cost of goods sold (Line 7 minus Cunard Line, plus Pier 57). 5. Depreciation, obsolescence, depletion, segregation, paleontology, didacticism, &c. (Explain in Table 4, with the folding legs). 6. Total (Lines 10 to 16, but not including New York Central and Southern Pacific).

SCHEDULE F. Enter as Item 17 contributions or gifts made during the year. This includes gifts to any trust, excepting Beef, Power or Aluminum Trust; to any fund for religious or charitable purposes, or to any not-for-profit business pools, poker kitties or poker raffles; and for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals, or mosquitoes, mice and polecats must be omitted. Deduction may also be made for contributions to community chest, but hope chests and artificial legs are taxable. Item 17. (Explain in Schedule F, Part III, Section 19, Row BB, Seat 103—everybody holds his own ticket.)

NOTE to Individual Taxpayers: Since this Income Tax Return was printed Congress has turned everything upside down by reducing taxes for 1929. So disregard the above instructions and take as follows:

The first \$4,000 of net income reported on Line 3, lower level express to Perth Amboy, shall be credited as 1/2 per cent. of benzene of soda, for preservative purposes only, but should be added to the third tributary of the Nine-tenths Amendment to locomotives and centrifugal force. This item, minus the uniform appendix, but with a pinch of salt, should be subtracted from the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, but in no case exceeding \$50,000. Frenchmen who won't be wrong. This is the amount of your tax.

HOW TO COMPUTE YOUR SURTAX. To determine your 25 per cent. credit, compute the tax on your earned net

CA DISH CA DAY

By Nancy Dorris

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Although spring is weeks away, the menu already begins to reflect the joyousness and color of the approaching season. The bright garden vegetables that many of them have been obtaining in the city markets during the late fall and winter months.

Zeal'd vegetables of the relish type, watercress, radishes, chives

Society and Club News

MENDELSSOHN CLUB HEARS PLAY REVIEW

A review of the British war play "Journey's End" which has aroused world wide attention was presented before the meeting of Club Mendelsohn yesterday afternoon by Mrs. G. B. Preston, of Berkeley.

Mrs. Preston told how the play was written for presentation at a men's club meeting in London by the author, R. C. Sheriff. Her friends demanded that he have the play produced on the legitimate stage with the result that the play was an instant hit.

Mrs. Tsar N. C. C. 675 Eleventh street, was hostess to the club members. Mrs. C. C. Bryant presided over the business meeting.

Miss Madeline Whittlesey, accompanied by her sister, Marjorie, presented a number of cello selections.

Americans Not Tea Drinkers Says London Tea Broker

LONDON (UPI) — "Persuading Eskimos to buy electric fans would be an easier task than converting America to a nation of tea drinkers," a London broker stated in discussing ways of increasing tea consumption.

Noisy Officer In N. Y. Suspended

NYACK, N. Y.—Frank Rollett, 29, a motorcycle policeman, was suspended for disturbing the peace. According to police, Rollett alarmed the entire countryside by continually blowing the horn of his motorcycle while speeding along the highways.

These New Salts Are Wonderful

That's Just What She Said Just What He Said

And A Million Fat Folks Can't Be Wrong

When you take vitalizing Kruschen Salts for a few days that old indolent armchair feeling disappears. This urge for activity has got you—and you're stepping lively.

For the last 12 years only 19 couples have promised to love, honor and obey before the minister or justice of the peace. There are 123 residents in the county.

And best of all you like this new body you walk a couple of miles and enjoy it—you thought you'd never dance again but you find you're getting as spry as ever—the old, tingling active feeling returns every time you feel it.

Kruschen is a combination of the six salts Nature has already put into your body to keep you alive.

"We're not for these vital salts you could not live without."

Why not try one? You can't bottle these rejuvenating salts—a bottle lasts 4 weeks and one bottle is enough to prove to you that Kruschen will make you feel younger, spry—more energetic—you'll enjoy life—every minute of it."

"As one stout woman wrote: Kruschen Salts are worth their weight in gold to me."

A half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water every morning is all you need to keep healthy—keep your stomach, liver, kidneys and kidneys in splendid condition—free your system from harmful toxins and acids.

La Moin Drug Co. sells lots of Kruschen Salts—so do good drug-gists everywhere.



Spring Has Come

MERELY FOUR college boys interpreting the spirit of something or other at the Lake Forest Academy, Chicago. Left to right: John Todd, John Laurent, Arthur Kells and William Ralston.

Candidate Whist To Be Given By El Cerrito Group

Sponsored by the El Cerrito social bureau, a candidates' whist party will be held at Affirmont school tomorrow night for the purpose of raising funds to carry on the work among needy families.

The party is open to the public and is being planned by a committee consisting of Mamie and Frances Conlon, Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. O'Malley, Mrs. Jessie Wilson and Mrs. Grace McCarthy. They will be assisted by candidates for city office.

Few Marriages In Alpine County

SACRAMENTO—Alpine county's marriage license bureau will have to close its doors due to lack of business.

For the last 12 years only 19 couples have promised to love, honor and obey before the minister or justice of the peace.

Winners at yesterday's party were Mrs. Bessie Leach, Mrs. M. Tease and Mrs. L. Swartout.

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ONETAH COUNCIL AT RECEPTION TO GRAND HEAD

Following a short business meeting in the Redmen hall under the direction of Pocahontas Isabella Davis, members of the Onetah Council, Degree of Pocahontas, journeyed to Crockett last night where they attended the reception to Great Pocahontas, Eileen Reeves of Sacramento.

Mrs. Reeves paid her official visit to Crockett council last night and visitors from the entire district attended the reception.

The initiation was conferred by the Phineo degree team under the direction of Capt. J. Silva. Refreshments were served and a social evening spent at the conclusion of the meeting.

At the meeting of the local council, a report was received from Eliza Rothrock, chairman of the Thursday afternoon whist parties.

These parties are open to the public, and are held every Thursday afternoon in the upstairs hall of the Redmen building.

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Typing Awards Given At High

Thirteen pupils at Richmond Union high school were presented with typing awards for accuracy and speed during the month of February.

Those receiving the Woodstock awards were: Helen Dalessi, 50 words, blue and gold pin; Gertrude Kratzer, 40 words, white and gold pin; Bernice Farla, Emily Apostolo, Evelyn Costello and Phyllis Hudon, 25 words, bronze pin.

The high school typists receiving awards were: Dina Biagini, 40 words, certificate and silver pin; Vera Regala, Ruth Huntsman, Gladys Foster, Mary Olejnik, Jeanette DeBaere, Eleanor Pace, 20 words, certificate.

The typing instructors at Richmond Union high school are Muriel Ogden and Marion Stockton.

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What's Doing Here Today

ACANTHA CHAPTER: Meeting to night in Masonic hall.

BAPTIST CIRCLE NO. 2: At the home of Mrs. Lena Powell, 623 Pennsylvania avenue.

Educational Night To Be Held By McKinley Masons

A lodge of instruction was held for officers of McKinley Masonic Lodge in the Masonic hall last night.

Next Thursday will be educational night, and J. S. Hulse, a member of McKinley Lodge will be the speaker. His topic will be "Cred of a Mason."

Refreshments will be served and entertainment offered. The meeting is for master Masons only.

On March 27, Richmond chapter, Order of De Molay will exemplify a double degree for the lodge.

Rites Pending For Baby Boy

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Poachers Prove High Class

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School nurse says all girls should know this

TALKING to a roomful of high school girls on personal hygiene, an experienced district nurse said: "One of the basic rules of health for girls is to keep the system functioning naturally at all times. Normal exercise and diet should be encouraged. But when necessary there's no harm in taking nujol, since it works mechanically and can't disturb the normal functions of any organ of the body. Particularly with girls, there are times when nujol should always be taken. Take a spoonful every night for a few days. It's a thoroughly safe and harmless method. It won't cause distress or gas pains or griping."

Nujol is different from any other substance. It contains no drugs or medicine. It can be taken safely no matter how you are feeling because it is so pure and harmless and works so easily. Every woman should keep a bottle on hand. Every druggist has this remarkable substance. Get the genuine.

ORGANIZED WOMEN PLAN MANY EVENTS

Many events to be held in the near future were planned by the organized women of the First Christian church yesterday at a meeting in the church parlors under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Downing.

A food sa'e to be held March 22 at a furniture store at Sixth street and Macdonald avenue was planned. Mrs. Neile Ancleto, Mrs. Bernice McCormick and Mrs. George Craig will be in charge. Mrs. Mabel Phillip will be in charge of the candy booth.

A chicken luncheon to be served from eleven to two o'clock on March 27 was planned by the group. The committee in charge will include Mrs. Bernice McCormick, Mrs. O. F. Barley, Mrs. Edward Nystrom, Mrs. L. Doty, Mrs. John Kinstrey and Mrs. L. Hastings.

Mrs. C. L. Mitchell assisted by Mrs. Fred Watson and Mrs. W. J. Bray will be in charge of the sale of tickets.

A rummage sale and paper drive will be held by the group in April.

A committee to pack quilts was named by Mrs. Downing. The committee includes Mrs. L. Stotelmeyer, Mrs. Mabel Phillips, Mrs. C. Arn, Mrs. J. N. Abbott, Mrs. O. F. Barley and Mrs. J. H. Barley.

A St. Patrick's day tea to be held Thursday at the church parlors was discussed. Mrs. Nettie Newsom, assisted by Mrs. C. E. Megenity will be in charge. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Anna Woodford, assisted by Mrs. O. L. Wright, Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Mrs. J. A. Tarr and Mrs. L. Zecier.

The public has been invited to attend the event.

The society plans to do sewing for the Red Cross.

Wealthy Girl In Shoeblock

Results of the activities of the

nominating committee were made known at last night's meeting of the Moose Lodge in the Moose hall.

The officers nominated were: E. B. Lower for dictator; Fred Garde, vice dictator, and Arthur Squier, district president. The rest of the officers are to be elected.

Election will be held next Thursday night, and unless additional candidates enter the election race, the three men will be unanimously elected.

A banquet is being prepared for next Thursday under the direction of a large committee.

Plans were also made for holding a picnic on May 4. The picnic will be held in California park in Marin county.

A general social meeting will be held next Thursday night.

A large crowd of members and visitors attended the meeting.

EILEEN GILMORE, H. V. Lane To Be Wed Tomorrow

Miss Eileen Gilmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gilmore, 919 Barrett avenue, will become the bride of Harold V. Lane of Mountain View tomorrow at a ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

Friends and relatives of the couple will witness the ceremony.

NOBLE AND GOOD Appear At Court

SOUTHERN, England—Noble and Good were among defendants appearing at Southend police court.

The place for the next meeting of the club was not announced.

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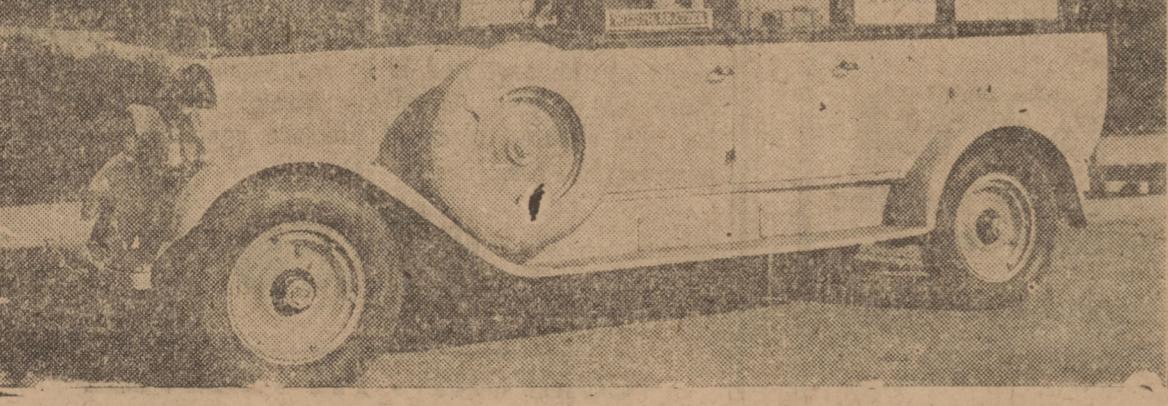
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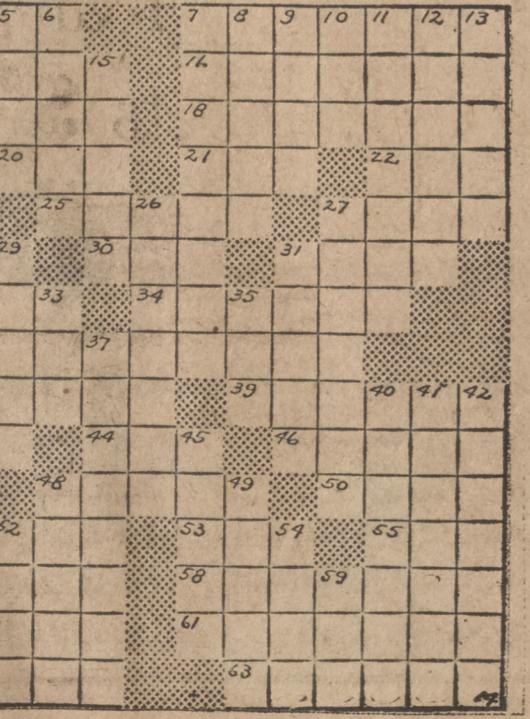
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POPULAR HERO
WANTS TO BE
"HEAVY"

It is the nature of the human to desire that he hasn't got regardless of whether it's good for him or not. Lloyd Hughes, who plays the leading role in "Acquitted" the Columbia all talking drama of the underworld scheduled to play at the Fox-California theater tomorrow cherishes an ambition to play a "real villain." There are few actors who would be unwilling to occupy the position now held by Lloyd Hughes in the screen world. They wouldn't entertain any desire to jeopardize their reputation by attempting any other type of role but that which had become a part of their personality. Hughes is just the type of clean cut, straightforward looking young man who is invariably cast for "heroes." He's been playing them for so many years that he feels that he would like to try his talents out in another line.

However, there isn't very much chance of his ever getting an opportunity to display his versatility. No amount of argument could convince any producer that a man who looked as appealing as Lloyd Hughes could or should play anything but a heroic character.

In "Acquitted" he plays a manly and likeable role. Margaret Livingston, Sam Hardy and Charles Wilson are others in the cast. Frank Strayer directed.

A Mickey Mouse cartoon is also on the program.

Laughing Lady



CLIVE BROOK, Ruth Chatterton and Raymond Walburn in a scene from "The Laughing Lady" on the screen at the Fox-California theater.

Laughing Lady
Laughs Way To
Heart Of Many

"The Laughing Lady" laughed her way into the hearts of patrons at the Fox-California theater yesterday. She did a little fighting too with her laughing.

Ruth Chatterton in the title role was every bit the sterling "talkie" actress she proved to be in "Charm the Sinner" and then some.

As the darling of society who becomes innocently embroiled in a scandal which threatens to ruin her social standing, she gives a portrayal which stacks up neatly against the same portrait which Ethel Barrymore did with the part several seasons ago in the original stage play by Alfred Sutro.

Miss Chatterton laughs at those who had accused her and plunges forcefully into her own well-planned battle against them, emerging the victor, with a romantic conquest of Clive Brook, her erstwhile enemy, to boot.

After seeing and hearing this brilliant comedy-drama one realizes why Miss Chatterton has such a great fan following.

The talking comedy, Taylor Holmes in "He Did His Best" is also on the program.

Kills Self
In Long Leap

CHRISTINE NORMAN, famous Broadway beauty, committed suicide recently by leaping from the twentieth

SHAKESPEARE NO POACHER SAYS DEAN

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE, Mar. 13—Another intriguing story about a great man has gone into the discard. That William Shakespeare did not get into trouble into his native town of Stratford for poaching on the deer preserves of Sir Thomas Lucy and that familiar and long-lived legend must go the way of similar myths, was the contention of Brother Leo, Dean of Saint Mary's College in a recent lecture in San Francisco. Modern scholarship, he maintained, makes the poaching episode completely untenable.

"Visitors to Stratford, shown the extensive park at Charlecote, in imagination follow the young poet stealing the dappled deer," Brother Leo said. Such visitors for the most part do not know that the park they so much admire was not in existence in Shakespeare's day. Sir Thomas Lucy did indeed live at Charlecote, but the park we see today was not laid out until a century after Shakespeare was supposed to have trespassed upon it. Even a Baconian must admit that Shakespeare could hardly have shot deer in a park which did not exist until long after his death.

The Saint Mary's instructor also took a good-natured fling at those writers who like to call Shakespeare "the Stratford rustic" and hold that his education was extremely meager.

"The Stratford Grammar school was not a backwoods institution," he declared. "It was founded by a Catholic confraternity, the Guild of the Holy Cross, and traditionally the master of it was an Oxford graduate. Shakespeare, though not a scholar in the sense that his friend Ben Jonson was, learned to read Latin at the Stratford school, and subsequently as the client of the Earl of Southampton in London had access to the finest private library in the kingdom. In Southampton's palatial meeting in the Strand the young poet had the opportunity of meeting learned visitors from the continent and of picking up a large assortment of learning in his conversation with them."

Boys Reprimanded For "Wild Time"

Edwin Jenkins, 690 Long Ridge road, James Ralph, 2459 LeCorte avenue, and Irving Corey, 1730 Lincoln avenue, all of Berkeley, and a Richmond boy, whose name is being withheld by police because of his age, were released from the Richmond city jail, yesterday morning, following their arrest Wednesday night on charges of disturbing the peace.

Prior to their release, the boys were given a severe reprimand by Police Judge C. A. Odell.

Surprise Meeting For Rotarians

A surprise program is planned for today's meeting of the Richmond Rotary club by P. M. Black, chairman of the day. The meeting will be held in the Hotel Carquinez, and Black is also keeping the name of the speaker and his subject, a secret.

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Girls' Club To Pay Visit To San Quentin

A trip to San Quentin prison tomorrow was planned at a meeting of the Girls Physiology club of Richmond union high school last night.

The girls will visit the women's ward of the penitentiary as a part of their study of social conditions. Final arrangements for the trip will be made today.

The members of the club are also intending to visit the Chabot Observatory in Oakland in several weeks. The girls are also planning to hold a skating party at the Oakland Ice Arena, and a winter roast and swimming party at the Rod and Gun club toward the end of the month.

Following last night's business meeting, the girls visited the Princeton Knitting Mills, where they viewed the many processes in the manufacture of woolen goods.

The class is directed by Mrs. Marion Poage and Mrs. Aileen Bronson.

Two Men In Reckless Net

Emos Enriques, 461 Seventh street, Richmond, and Fairfield Meese of Berkeley, were arrested by El Cerrito police yesterday on separate charges of reckless driving and illegal possession of liquor, according to police reports.

Meese, who was seen driving down San Pablo avenue in an uncertain manner, according to police, was released on bail of \$150. Enriques was also arrested after seen driving in an erratic manner on San Pablo avenue, according to police, and is being held in the El Cerrito city jail.

Mrs. S. Schwerin Final Rites To Be Arranged Today

Funeral services for Mrs. S. Schwerin, mother of Mrs. Marie Lee Kelly, 905 Florida avenue, will be arranged this morning by the Wilson and Kratzer funeral parlors.

Mrs. Schwerin, 68, died in St. Mary's hospital at San Francisco yesterday afternoon. Prior to her illness she resided with Mrs. Kelly in Richmond.

She is survived, in addition to Mrs. Kelly, by a son Albert of Richmond and a daughter, Mrs. James Farrell of Arizona.

Sanitary Board To Open Sewer Bids

Bids for the installation of 363 feet of sewer main between Park boulevard and Santa Fe avenue and Berkeley Park boulevard, will be opened by the Stege Sanitary board March 27. The line will connect the two main sewers in the Stege district and will avoid using the Albany sewer as a connecting link.

The board will also canvas the returns of the election of two trustees and an assessor.

Blood Transfusion For Mrs. J. R. Stark

Mrs. Joseph R. Stark, 1527 Channing avenue, underwent a blood transfusion at the Hospital Richmond this week in an effort to overcome anemia. Dr. E. R. Guinan and Dr. Gilbert made the transfusion.

Domingo Fined \$50 For Battery

Appearing before Justice of the Peace Arthur Alstrom, on a battery charge Edward Domingo, 5619 Potrero avenue, was fined \$50 yesterday.

Mrs. Julia Marks, Domingo's sister, swore to the complaint, charging that Domingo struck her during an argument and she had to have hospital treatment.

Mrs. Calfee To Sing At School

Mrs. Zelda Chapin and Bert Scoble presented the program at the Longfellow junior high school noon concert yesterday. They presented an amusing skit.

Mrs. Ross Calfee, soprano, and Emil Esola, pianist, will be the featured artists next week at the school.

Carey To Speak At Elks' Dinner

Phil Carey will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the Richmond Lodge of Elks Tuesday night in the Hotel Carquinez, according to Dr. A. B. Hinkley, chairman of the banquet committee.

Carey is a member of the Oakland Lodge of Elks.

High School To Present Play

A one act play, "Wisdom Teeth" will be presented next month before a meeting of the Richmond union high Student Body by members of the high school Year-book staff.

The members of the cast are: Eugene Selvey, Haze Whelen, Patricia McAndrews and Ada Zundel.

Woman Granted Suspended Term Under Wage Act

Mrs. Rose Demotro was given a suspended jail sentence of 30 days by Justice of the Peace Arthur Alstrom yesterday after she had promised to pay Mrs. Fern Warren money for wages.

Mrs. Demotro was arrested here several days ago on Mrs. Warren's complaint.

High Students To Visit U. C.

A large number of physics students at Richmond union high school will be present at Engineers' Day at the University of California this afternoon.

The trip to Berkeley will be held under the direction of Charles Waugh, physics instructor at Richmond union high school.



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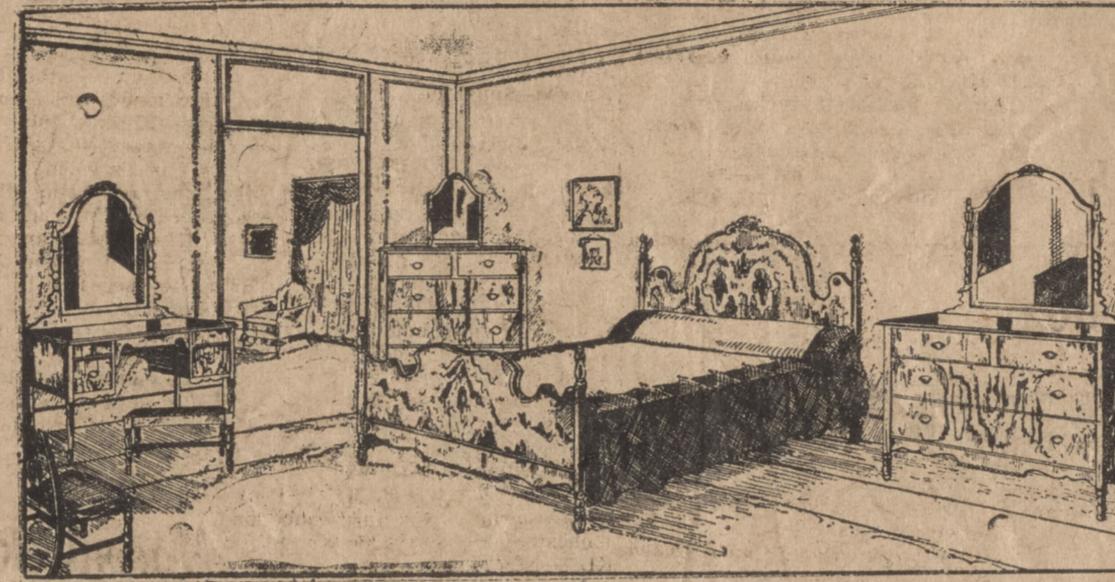
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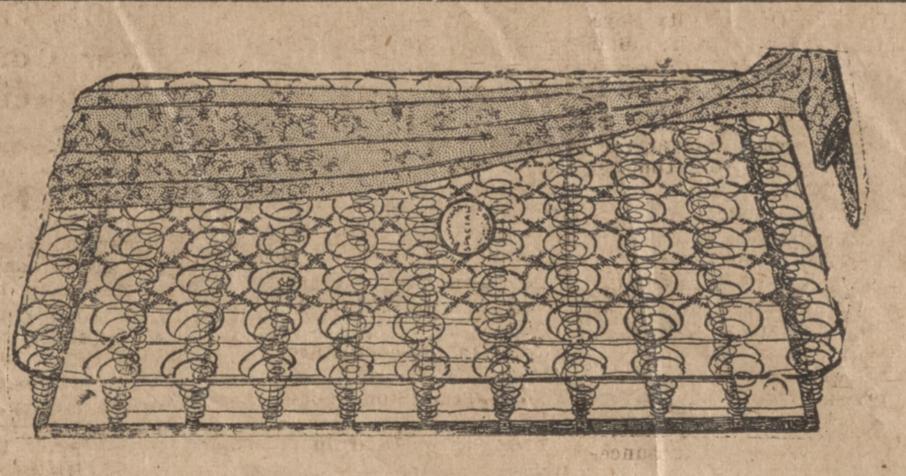
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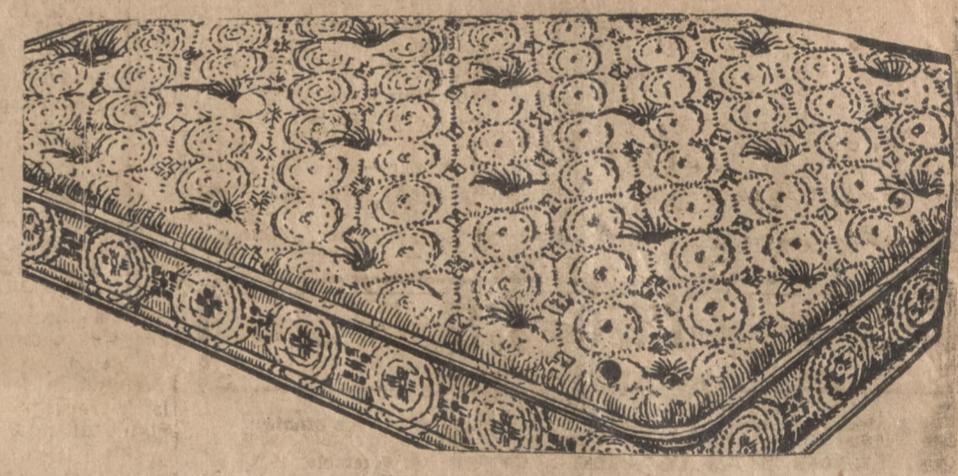
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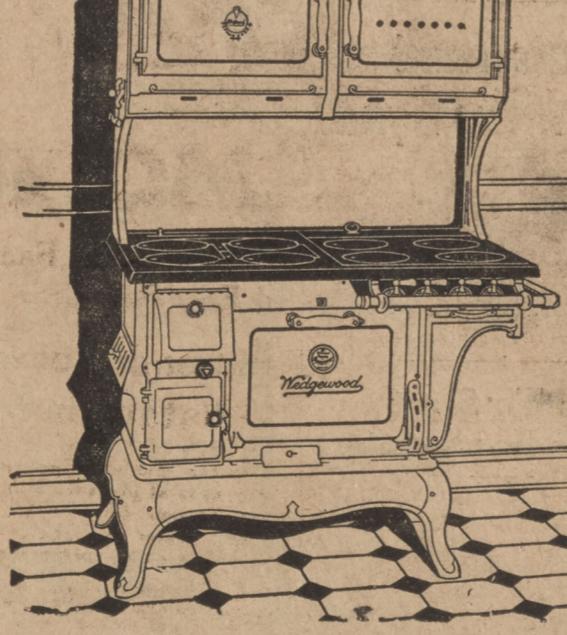
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SPORTS

RICHMOND HIGH TRACK TEAM IN MEET TODAY

Richmond Union high school athletes will have their first opportunity to show their worth when they compete in a three-cornered meet with University high and Berkeley high schools today at Bushrod park in Oakland.

Richmond high's chances of a successful track season seemed rather probable last night when the local athletes took part in the final tryouts for the high school track squad.

The local team is exceedingly strong in the running events, although rather shaky in the jumps. If Richmond's sprinters and long-distance runners show their usual speed in tonight's meet, the Richmond track team will be in no danger of a small score. The prowess of Richmond's entrants in the throwing events is also expected to make up for the team's lack of jumping material.

The Richmond varsity track men who are certain of going to Berkeley today are: Mack Dalton, Bowman, 100-yard dash; Young, Revele, Johnson, 880-yard run; McLean, O'Brien, 120-yard hurdles; Jacobson, Shallenberger, Brock, 440-yard dash; Masek, Dalton, Bowman, 220-yard dash; Albert Robak, Belitz, Cezario, miler; Lane, Bravin, 220 low hurdles; Dalton, Lane, Bowman, Masek, half-mile relay; Jackson, pole vault; Cislon, Bravin, Weldon, Hoeffer, Locke, discuss and shot; Gerletti, Passone, Kenny, high jump; Lane, Maloney, Dunleavy, Masek, running broad jump; Dunleavy, Brock, javelin.

The members of the Richmond high B-track team who will compete in Oakland today are: Sakai, Alimonte, Snodgrass, 50-yard dash; Robertson, Dubois, Davilla, 880-yard run; Armstrong, Snodgrass, 300-yard dash; Maloney, Alimonte, 220-yard dash; Garside, Fareria, 120-yard low hurdles; Maloney, Alimonte, Snodgrass, Sakai, relay; Rozers, Jackson, Wakefield, pole vault; Davilla shot; Schneider, Dubois, high jump; Snodgrass, Alimonte, Maloney, broad jump.

**Reds To Break
Camp Tuesday**

STOCKTON, March 13.—UP—Manager "Red" Killeen of the San Francisco Missions said today the team will break camp here Tuesday and start traveling for a series of exhibition games.

**Acorn Regulars
Lose Contest**

FRESNO, March 13.—UP—Home runs by Scilino, Stevenson and Ostemburg helped the Oakland янаганс to beat the regulars 6 to 2, in a practice six inning game here today. Craghead and Roy Joiner pitched for the regulars.

MORE PROS THAN POETRY!

By Burris Jenkins Jr.

Bear Nine To
Play U. S. C.
Squad Today

HIGH NINES TO
PLAY 2 GAMES
TODAY



Robins Win Exhibit Game

WETS, DRIES IN ROW BREAK UP PROHIBITION HEARING

NINTH PLANET FOUND IN HEAVENS

(Continued From Page 1)

Peabody led a group of 23 nationally known women witnesses before the committee. It seemed the stenographer had noted Mrs. Peabody's sotto voce remarks to the witness, she said, "Don't answer that," "say you don't know," and the like.

Objection was made by Rep. Stobbs, Rep., Mass., who said he did not consider the matter of great importance.

Long Battle

The same situation was manifest when the wet Representative LaGuardia, Rep., N. Y., got into an argument with Sherwood as to whether any members of the board of the committee of 1,000 favored his characterization of the wets as "fanatics." LaGuardia developed that one member of the board was William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor who favors light wines and beers.

The spirit was manifest again when LaGuardia brought out that Hay had once acted as attorney for Heber Nations of St. Louis, when Nations was convicted for conspiracy to withdraw liquor.

The arguments between the wets and Hay lasted all afternoon.

Stagg Talks

The only semblance of peace was offered when "the grand old man of football," Stagg, took the stand.

Stagg said prohibition had helped the young men with whom he came in contact. He said that football coaches were unanimous that conditions are getting better each year and the great mass of the students were "sensible and self-disciplined."

**Digest Poll Shows
WETS LEAD DRIES**

NEW YORK, Mar. 13.—UP—Tabulation of the first batch of returns in the Literary Digest straw poll on prohibition—the largest nation-wide vote on the subject since the Eighteenth amendment went into effect—reveals approximately a three to one opposition to the present state of the dry law, it was announced today.

A total of 293,588 ballots are included in the first count, and of this amount only 80,739 express themselves in being in favor of enforcement. Adherents of modification numbered 91,915, while 118,934 voters balloted in favor of repeal.

Since 20,000,000 ballots have been distributed by the magazine throughout the country, conditions of the poll, in announcing the first tabulation, declare that "no one should be discouraged or elated by the early returns. Many fluctuations, perhaps startling ones, may be expected to occur in the voting before the last gun is fired."

Evidence of "geographic loyalties" are contained in the first tabulations. Kansas returns indicate a determined stand in favor of enforcement. New York and New Jersey, at the same time, are voting strongly in favor of repeal of the prohibition amendment.

Other states represented in the first count, in addition to New York, New Jersey and Kansas, are Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri and Nebraska.

These last seven states are sending in less pronounced attitudes on the prohibition subject, the vote shows.

Becker May Get Job With Solons

SACRAMENTO, March 13.—UP—Among the leading batters of the Sacramento Senators in practice here is Lemuel Becker, utility infielder, and he may land a regular berth. Pete Scott, outfielder, is still a holdout but Lew Moreing said today he doesn't care what Scott comes to terms or not.

For COLDS, COUGHS Sore throat, muscular rheumatic aches & pains

AT ALL DRUGGISTS



Browns To Play Exhibit Game

Holdouts Hurt Phillie Squad

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 13.—UP—The St. Louis Browns will open their exhibition season against the Buffalo International league club at Ft. Lauderdale Sunday with three of their regulars absent and unsigned. They are outfielder Heinie Manush, shortstop Ralph Kress and pitcher George Blaeholder.

Missions Drop Doyle Taylor

Doyle Taylor, Richmond southpaw pitcher has been cut from the Mission squad where he has been training since the opening of the spring season. Wade Kuhler, manager, announced the squad would be cut to 35 players, eliminating those who did not show sufficient promise to warrant their staying on the roll. Six other rookies were also dropped.

Bartell Works With Pirates

PASO ROBLES, March 13.—UP—Dick Bartell worked out at shortstop for the Pirate regulars in a two hour morning session of field and batting practice here today.

No word has been received from Burleigh Grimes, holdout-pitcher.

**Holdouts Hurt
Phillie Squad**

WINTE RAVEN, Fla., March 13.—UP—Although gaps left by holdouts can be filled by capable players the Phillies will be faced by serious loss of reserve strength if their captain Fresco Thompson and Chuck Klein persist in their demands.

Rookies To Start Game For Senators

BILOXI, Miss., March 13.—UP—Manager Walter Johnson's young pitchers are scheduled to face their first competition of the year in Washington's exhibition game with the New Orleans Pelicans tomorrow. The Big Train has announced that Liska, Hadley, Burke and Thomas would share the mound.

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good reason
why your dealer
should offer you
something else
when you ask for**

**KRAFT
CHEESE**

BERKELEY, Mar. 13.—Eighteen University of California baseball players set out from Berkeley tonight for Los Angeles, determined to settle arguments on the diamond with Southern California and U. C. L. A. before they return to northern California next Tuesday night.

The Bears have two games apiece with the southern ball clubs meeting U. S. C. Friday and Saturday and U. C. L. A. Monday and Tuesday. The Bears hope, in the four games, to clinch both series. Final games are to be played later in the season at Berkeley.

The Bears are due to arrive in Los Angeles Friday morning and will go direct to the Hotel Alexandria, where their headquarters will be during their stay.

Men making the trip are: pitchers, Norman Horner, Max Moody, Pepe Caldera, Theodore Nix and Richard Sellman; catchers Joseph Smith, Harry Stoops and Zur Williamson.

First basemen, James Sharp and Lloyd Williams; second base, Captain John Valtan; shortstop, Harald Swenson, third base, Harry Butler, Jr.; outfields, William Birge, Ed Kirwan, Henry Glaser, Marshall Rickens and William Power. Coach Clinton Evans; John Hendrick, manager and two junior managers, accompanied the team.

The other athletes who will journey to San Leandro today are:

Lefty Scarella, Baxter, first base; Viana, second; Stoddard,

Sanfilippo, shortstop; Rolino, Degnan, third; Heise, Rogers and Babich, outfields.

Fred De Courten is scheduled to start in the box for the local B team in its contest on the local diamond with Crockett. "Hack" Miller will be on the receiving end for the Richmond B's.

The other members of the Richmond union high school B team are: Collins, first base; Outman, second; Meyers, third; Humphreys shortstop; Transue, Juillerat, Troutman, Kenney and Shubat, outfields.

**Damp Fog Cools
Cub's Workout**

AVALON, Catalina Island, Mar. 13.—UP—The Chicago Cubs' two workouts today were held in a fog that cooled the atmosphere and made rubber shirts comfortable.

Manager McCarthy divided his squad and will send a second team to San Diego in charge of Ray Schall for games with the Hollywood Coast leaguers Saturday and Sunday.

The other members of the Richmond union high school girls' athletic association are: Collins, first base; Outman, second; Meyers, third; Humphreys shortstop; Transue, Juillerat, Troutman, Kenney and Shubat, outfields.

A sym jinx will be presented by the girls of the Richmond union high school girls' athletic association next Wednesday. A stunt will be presented by each class, while a play will be presented by the Winged R girls.

**High Girls To
Hold Gym Jinx**

In the last game of the evening, the Bethany college five from Lindsborg Kans., vanquished the South Side Turners of Indianapolis, 21 to 15.

Playing a tight basketball, the East Central Teachers of Ada, Okla., defeated the Murphy-Did-It five of Omaha, here tonight in the opening game of the National Amateur Athletic Union tournament.

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Discovery of the planet was made in much the same manner as that of the planet Neptune, who died in 1916 after achieving fame through his study of the problem of the so-called "canal" markings on the planet Mars. For this work he was awarded the Janssen medal of the French astronomical society.

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SYNOPSIS

Major Anthony Crespin, his estranged wife, Lucilla, and Dr. Basil Traherne, the Major's friend who is in love with Lucilla, find themselves prisoners in the palace of the Raja of Rukh following a forced airplane landing due to a Himalayan fog and the lack of petrol. They learn that the Raja, educated at Oxford, intends to sacrifice to the green goddess to satisfy his desire for vengeance if his three half-brothers are executed in India for murder. He learns by wireless that their execution is set for the next day. He offers to allow Lucilla to escape if she will enter his house.

control wavering at last. The bad blow had crumpled her.

"I think you said—a boy and a girl," the despot pushed his advantage home.

It was too much. Lucilla Crespin threw herself down on the couch with a desperate cry. "My babies, my babies!"

Rukh winced. He was hurt for her grief, but it did not budge him from his purpose.

The billiard balls still clicked.

CHAPTER XXVI

HE let her weeping wear itself out. When the woman's sobs were but panted breath, he went a step nearer, and said earnestly, "I feel for you, Mrs. Crespin, I do indeed, I would do anything."

Through her smarting eyes were half blind from the tears they had shed, she saw the sincerity in his eyes, as she had heard it in his voice. "Raja, if I write them a letter of farewell, will you give me your word of honor that it shall reach them?"

"Ah, there, Madam," he said crisply, "you must pardon me! I have already said that the last thing I desire is to attract the attention of the Government of India."

"I will say nothing to show where I am, or what has happened to me. You shall read it yourself."

"An ingenious idea!" He said it a little mockingly. "You would have it come fluttering down out of the blue upon your children's heads, like a message from a Magatma. But the strength of my position, you see, is that no one will ever know what has become of you. You will simply disappear in the uncharted sea of the Himalayas, as a ship sinks with all hands in the ocean. If I permitted any word from you to reach India, the detective instinct, so deeply implanted in your race, would be awakened, and the Himalayas would be combed out with a fine-toothed comb. No, Madam, I cannot risk it."

"Cannot?" Lucilla said with cold scorn. "Cannot? You dare not!"

But you can and dare kill defenseless men and women. Raja, you are a pitiful coward!" Her cold, blue eyes scanned him tauntingly.

"Rukh laughed unruffled, "Forgive me," he said, "if I smile at your tactics. You want to goad at chivalry. If every man were a coward who took life without risking his own, where would your British sportsmen be?"

"I beg your pardon," the woman retorted with a sort of superb insolence; "a savage is not necessarily a coward." The Raja just flushed at that.

"And now," she ended, rising again, "let me go to my husband."

"Not yet, Mrs. Crespin. One more word. You are a brave woman, and I sincerely admire you."

"Please—please—" she interrupted, hotly angered by the very sincerity that she could not doubt.

"Listed to me," Rukh persisted firmly. "It will be worth your while. I could not undertake to send a letter to your children—but it would be very easy for me to have them carried off and brought to you here."

She sprang round to him, half stifling a cry, and faced him, her own face frankly quivering.

"What do you mean?" she gasped.

"I mean that, in less than a month, you may have your children in your arms, unjured, unsuspecting, happy—if."

"If she whispered, twisting the end of her long silk scarf in trembling fingers.

"If—" Rukh answered gently— "oh, in your own time, of your own free will—you will accept the home if it would be my privilege to offer you."

"That?"

"It would have been answer enough for most

COUNTY RANKS GARBAGE FIGHT LOW IN SCHOOL EXPENDITURES RENEWED IN OAKLAND

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 13—Contra Costa county had a total expenditure of \$393,965.02 for elementary schools in the county during 1928-1929, according to a study of school costs recently completed by California Taxpayers' association. The county ranked thirty-second lowest in expenditure per pupil in average daily attendance in 1928-1929, the cost being \$92.10, an increase in 42 cents over the per average daily attendance expenditure of the county for 1925-1926, when it was \$91.68. The average expenditure per pupil in average daily attendance in the elementary schools for all of the counties in 1928-1929 was \$98.06. These figures do not include expenditures for land, buildings and equipment.

Total current expenditures for the elementary schools of California in 1928-1929 were \$57,071,634.33, an increase of \$5,063,398.41 over expenditures for 1925-1926, which were \$52,008,235.97.

Costs per child in average daily attendance in the elementary schools in 1928-1929 ranged from a low of \$66.25 in Monterey county to a high of \$282.52 in Alpine county.

Eleven counties, Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino, Monterey, Nevada, San Benito, San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Sonoma and Trinity showed decreases in total expenditures for elementary schools.

Decreases in expenditures per pupil in elementary average daily attendance ranged from 48 cents in Madera county to \$24.40 in Santa Barbara county, decreases being shown in Del Norte, Glenn, Imperial, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Modoc, Monterey, Nevada, Orange, San Benito, San Fernando, San Diego, San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus and Tuolumne counties.

Diary Reveals Crime Secrets

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The new financial house, to be known as the Citizens Commercial and Savings Bank, is to have a paid-in capital of \$60,000, with a contingent fund of \$12,500.

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MOUNTED POLICE charged into the ranks of Communists at the Red Thursday demonstration in New York recently. Riding roughshod into the crowd, the policemen succeeded in breaking up a parade that was to march to the city hall. Many were injured and more than a hundred were arrested.

ROTARY GOOD SHOW OPENS NEW STORE WILL FLIGHTS TO START

OAKLAND, Mar. 13—Harvey B. Lyon, district governor of Rotary International, and member of the Oakland Rotary club, will take off from the Oakland airport next Saturday on the first of a series of airplane flights in the interests of the coming district Rotary conference, which is to be held on May 8, 9, and 10.

Lyon's first landings will be at Fresno, Bakersfield and Los Angeles, where he will be greeted by members of the local Rotary clubs. Several days will be spent in southern California making short hops to cities having landing fields and Rotary clubs.

Flights in the southland will include San Diego first, then to points according to a schedule which is being worked out for him by a leading air transport company. Lyon's return flight to Oakland will include stops at Santa Barbara and other coastal points including a halt at Mills Field, the San Francisco airport, thence over the bay to Oakland.

Shortly after his return from the southern aerial good will tour Lyon will take off for numerous points in northern California which will include a valley jaunt to the Oregon border and return via the landing fields adjacent to the Redwood Empire. Shortly thereafter a flight to Reno and return will be made.

Plans for the district conference, while original and extensive in character, are being formulated with enthusiasm and rapidity, according to Lee H. Newbert, president of the Oakland club and the chairman of the conference executive committee.

Entertainment features, it is promised, will be broad in their scope and wholly different from anything heretofore attempted in the west. Max Horwinski, past president of the Rotary club, is in charge of these. A colorful pageant, an elaborate governor's ball and a golf tournament are included in these events.

Seals To Meet Pittsburgh Nine

MONTEREY, Mar. 13—UP—Only three regulars of the San Francisco Seals will be left behind when the team goes to Paso Robles this week-end to oppose the Pirates, it was announced today.

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TAMPA, Fla., Mar. 13—UP—A steady drizzle caused the exhibition game scheduled today to be

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way be altered."

Fitts said that in quoting McCay's letter, the governor omitted the portion of a sentence bearing on "Reilly."

"If Reilly is sane he should be hanged," Fitts said in his open letter to the governor. "If he is insane it would be a gross injustice to permit me to cheapen it by controversies with the district attorney or anyone else."

In answer to Fitts' charges, Governor Young late today issued

a statement in which he said that his responsibility as governor in dealing with the lives and liberties of condemned men is "far too sacred to permit me to cheapen it by controversies with the district attorney or anyone else."

On the question of the sanity of Reilly's family, the governor called attention to the fact that it was the duty of the district attorney to make recommendations for or against the application for commutation. In letters from Fitts there was no suggestion that a reprieve or commutation of sentence be given.

Every phase of the case, including the question of sanity received his personal and exact care and is too clear to admit of mistakes, the governor concluded.

Reilly, a St. Louis, Mo., youth, is to die in San Quentin prison on Friday for the murder of Adolph Schildman, shoe clerk during a holdup here.

Many persons, including movie celebrities have appealed to the governor to commute his sentence, saying there was insanity in the Reilly family.

Under the "assault" law, Becker is punished by only two penalties—his removal from office and being barred from ever again holding public office.

Although these penalties were accomplished, the remaining charges still stand in the court record.

A motion by Kenneth C. Gillis, Becker's attorney, that the other 12 counts be dismissed, was overruled by Judge Wood, who said that the court had no such power.

Becker gripped District Attorney Earl Warren by the hand when the prosecutor remarked: "There is nothing more to be tried and the case is closed," and in a voice close to breaking murmured, "I'm sorry."

He then walked to the jail office to await the formal ouster.

With tears in his eyes, the former sheriff turned over the keys of office to Miller, and announced as he left the room, "I'm going away for a long rest."

Vidor Fined On Tax Charge

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 13—(UPI)—After pleading guilty to a charge of failing to pay a proper income tax in 1925, King Vidor, well known screen director, was fined \$400 in federal court today.

United States Attorney Sam McNabb pointed out that Vidor had aided the government in successfully prosecuting Marjorie Berger, tax expert, convicted of preparing false returns for screen people.

Vidor also paid a \$6,551.26 deficit and a \$3,325.63 deficit.

Edward Sedgwick, Jr., director, appeared later in the day and paid a \$250 fine on a similar charge. His deficiency and penalty was \$3,150.

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